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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION



In re:

State No. 19-35133 (MI)

RALTA MESA RESOURCES, INC., et al.,

Debtors. 1

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# ORDER REGARDING MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM AUTOMATIC STAY TO COMPLETE LOUISIANA STATE COURT LITIGATION

# (Relates to Doc. No. 793)

On April 8, 2020, the Court held a hearing on the *Motion for Relief from Automatic Stay to Complete Louisiana State Court Litigation* (the "Motion") filed by Derek Sadler, Wilbert L. Crutcher, Stephanie A. Draper, Angela R. Crutcher, Byron E. Crutcher, Arthur L. Najee-Ullah, Ahmed Najee-Ullah, Roosevelt Shields, II, Brian K. Shields, Alden L. Kirk, Loana R. Kirk, Ivan J. Kirk, Patricia A. Lewis, Ruben Lomax, Henrietta L. Spinks, Michael H. Lomax, Wadsworth A. Holmes, IV, and Nerissa Holmes (collectively, "Sadler Heirs").

After considering the Motion, the arguments of counsel during the hearing, and the applicable law:

It is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that:

1. The automatic stay imposed by 11 U.S.C. § 362 is hereby modified to allow the Sadler Heirs to prosecute their claims to judgment in the Louisiana state court action styled as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers, as applicable, are: Alta Mesa Resources, Inc. (3840); Alta Mesa Holdings, LP (5150); Alta Mesa Holdings GP, LLC (0642); OEM GP, LLC (0958); Alta Mesa Finance Services Corp. (5673); Alta Mesa Services, LP (7295); Oklahoma Energy Acquisitions, LP (3762); and SRII Opco, LP (5874); SRII Opco GP, LLC (3729); Kingfisher Midstream, LLC (1357); Kingfisher STACK Oil Pipeline, LLC (8858); Oklahoma Produced Water Solutions, LLC (0256); and Cimarron Express Pipeline, LLC (1545). The Debtors' mailing address is 15021 Katy Freeway, 4th Floor, Houston, Texas 77094.

Herbert L. Sadler, Sr., et al. v. The Meridien Resource & Exploration, LLC, Alta Mesa Services, LP, and Alta Mesa Holdings, LP, Case No. 129782 in Division F of the 16th Judicial District Court for St. Mary Parish, Louisiana ("State Court Action"), but only to the extent such claims pertain to issues of establishing the Sadler Heir's title to the property that is the subject of the State Court Action, including but not limited to any appeals arising out of the State Court Action;

2. The automatic stay imposed by 11 U.S.C. § 362 is hereby maintained as to the establishment and calculation of damages in the State Court Action; and

3. This Order shall apply only to Alta Mesa Resources, Inc. and the AMH Debtors<sup>2</sup> and shall not apply to the debtors of any other bankruptcy case that may also be a defendant in the State Court Action.

Signed: August 12, 2020

Marvin Isgur United States Bankruptcy Judge

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The "AMH Debtors" refers to Alta Mesa Holdings, LP; Alta Mesa Holdings GP, LLC; OEM GP, LLC; Alta Mesa Finance Services Corp.; Alta Mesa Services, LP; and Oklahoma Energy Acquisitions, LP.

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